

VOLUTA ARAUSIACA.



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Animal Limax.

Testa unilocularis, spiralis.

Apertura ecaudata, subeffusa.

Columella plicata: Labio Umbilicove nullo.

Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 1186.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

VOLUTA testa alba fasciis transversis fulvis,
columella sex-plicata.

VEXILLUM ARAUSIACUM.

Rara hæc et perelegans concha generis LINNÆANI *Volutæ* nominati est species. Hanc ipsam ille nullibi descripsit. Communiter illam appellaverunt physici *Vexillum Arausiacum*. Indica est concha, et præcipue in insula Amboyna reperitur.

Fig. 1. Testa adulta. Fig. 2. Testa junior.

THE
ORANGE FLAG,
OR
ORANGE-STRIPED VOLUTE.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

Animal resembling a Limax or Slug.

Shell unilocular, spiral.

Pillar or Column twisted or plaited.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

WHITE VOLUTÉ, with orange-coloured transverse bands, and (generally) six plaits on the column.

LE PAVILLON D'ORANGE.

Argenv. Append.

Knorr. part 5, t. 1. f. 1.

The elegant and rare shell here figured, belongs to the Linnæan genus *Voluta*, but is not amongst the species described by LINNÆUS. Its general name amongst collectors is the Orange-Flag. It is an East-Indian shell, and is principally found in the island of Amboyna.

Fig. 1. The adult shell. Fig. 2. A somewhat younger shell.



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